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PART II-A.

NOTIFICATIONS RELATING TO LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT.

HASSAN DISTRICT BOARD.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIRST ORDINARY MEETING OF THE HASSAN DISTRICT BOARD, HELD ON 23RD AND 24TH JULY 1927.

Present.

Ex-officio Members ...	2	Non-officials ...	21	On 23rd July 1927	
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The District Medical Officer, the District Inspector of Education and the Executive Engineer were present on invitation.

Read and recorded the telegram of Mr. Kasim Vali Sait, pleading inconvenience to attend the meeting.

1. Proceedings of the last meeting.

Resolution.—Recorded.

2 and 3. (a to h) Read and recorded the Government Orders and General Secretary's letter.

4. General Secretary's letter No. L. 8980, dated 27th June 1927, stating that if the District Board have no objection a suitable contribution may be given from District Funds for the Hagare-Halebid Road, if the Village Panchayet of Halebid take up the work.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"The Village Panchayet may be informed that if they undertake repairs a suitable grant will be given if they apply."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

5. General Secretary's letter No G. 12691—Med. 49-25-87, dated 1st June 1927, calling for the views of the Board to bear their share of contribution for each of the Vaidyasalas to be converted into Local Fund Dispensaries.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"The Committee recommend that the Board may agree to the payment of their quota of contribution on this account."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved. The Board will bear their quota of expenses.

6. (*a*) General Secretary's letter No. L. 6015—L. B. 148-25-8, dated 28th February 1927, calling for the views of the Board whether they are agreeable to the scheme of opening a road from Tholalu to Arehalli at a cost of Rs. 8,000.

(*b*) Superintending Engineer's letter No. 6073, dated 5th May 1927, addressed to the Chief Engineer in the matter.

Resolution of the Standing Committee.—

"May be recommended that the Board agree to the conditions proposed by the General Secretary and estimates may be called for."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

7. General Secretary's letter No. C. 18-25—L., B. dated 13th June 1927, requesting to place before the District Board the question of assigning a share of the realisations from shandies in the district to the panchayets concerned and to forward their resolution.

Resolution of the Standing Committee.—

"Deferred."

Resolution.—Deferred as the Standing Committee has called for certain particulars.

8. (*a*) Deputy Commissioner's No. D. 1. 1422-26, dated 31st May 1927, forwarding a list of local subjects brought forward for consideration at the district meeting of the Representative Assembly for the selection of subjects for budget session for disposal.

(LOCAL SUBJECTS.)

Messrs. B. Devappagowda and Iygoor Puttegowda.

(1) That a bridge across Hemavati may be constructed near Kerodi.

Resolution.—This is a restoration work and must be put in hand at once. The District Board has already got the estimate ready. The District Board and Government may each bear half the cost and have the work completed early.

Mr. Rudrappa, Arsikere.

(1) That a tunnel may be constructed across Hirehalla in the Arsikere-Huliyar road.

(2) That tunnels with high arches may be constructed near Aggunda and Ramenahalla on the Arsikere-Huliyar road.

Resolution.—These are necessary. The tunnels now constructed seem to require being looked into and necessary alterations made.

(3) That a Middle School may be established at Halkur.

Resolution.—A complete Middle School may be located at Halkur if the villagers provide necessary accommodation free of cost for the school and the staff.

Messrs. K. Ramanna, Giddegowda and Bale Venkatasamiah of Hole-Narsipur.

(1) That roads may be raised in some places on the Hole-Narsipur-Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur-Channarayapatna roads where they submerge in water during flood season.

Resolution.—The road beds may be raised, and it is very necessary,

(b) Deputy Commissioner's No. D1. 1422-26, dated 31st May 1927, forwarding a list of local subjects for communicating the resolutions of the Board.

Mr. Rudrappa, Arsikere—

(1) That Maternity Hospital may be opened at Arsikere.

Resolution.—A female Dispensary is necessary for the time being. The Municipal Council of Arsikere may also be consulted.

(2) That Arsikere-Huliyar Road may be brought to good condition.

Resolution.—This road has just been repaired at a cost of Rs. 20,000 and the condition of the road may be brought to the notice of the department for necessary action.

Messrs. K. Ramanna, Giddegowda and Bale Venkatasamiah, Hole-Narsipur.—

(1) That a school may be constructed for the Adikarnatakas of Hole-Narsipur near their residence.

Resolution.—The opinion of the inhabitants of the Doddaholegeri, the Mission authorities and the District Inspector of Education may be obtained and the subject considered at the next meeting with the old references relating to this subject.

It is stated that a sum of about Rs. 400 to Rs. 500 is in deposit with the Hole-Narsipur Co-operative Society and there is also probably some money in the Government Treasury. These references may also be traced and put up.

(2) That a Committee may be constituted for supervising the grant-in-aid weaving school at Hole-Narsipur.

Resolution.—The suggestion may be sent to the Departments concerned for favourable consideration.

(3) That two Pandits may be appointed to the Sanskrit Patasala at Hole-Narsipur by enhancing the grant.

Resolution.—The matter may be referred to the Municipal Council of Hole-Narsipur for consideration.

(4) That the transfer of Mirle, Hosagrahara and Saligrama Hoblis in the Yedatore Taluk and Akkihebbal Hobli in Krishnarajpete Taluk from the jurisdiction of the Hole-Narsipur Munsiff's Court to Hunsur Munsiff's Court may be withheld.

Resolution.—The proposed transfer is highly inconvenient and may no be given effect to.

9. D. O. No 71-27, dated 9th July 1927, received from the Deputy-Commissioner, Hassan District, forwarding a programme for the celebration of the Silver Jubilee of His Highness the Maharaja at district and taluk headquarters and intimating that local bodies may spend a specified amount for the celebration of the Jubilee since the expenditure will not be a contribution to the Jubilee Fund.

Mr. S. Venkatesaiya proposes that a sum of Rs. 5,000 may be placed at the disposal of the Deputy Commissioner for organising celebrations within the area under the jurisdiction of this District Board in accordance with his D. O., Letter No. 71-27, dated 9th July 1927, referred to.

(*b*) Resolved that the newly constructed musafirkhana at Ramanathapur be opened on the Jubilee Day and the building called the JUBILEE MUSAFIRKHANA.

(*c*) That the Horticultural Garden in Hassan be also opened on that day and called the JUBILEE ORCHARD.

Resolution.—The proposition was unanimously supported by all the members and carried unanimously.

10. Deputy Commissioner's No. L. Dis. 10-27, dated 13th July 1927, forwarding copy of Notification No. 135—L. B. 3-27-2, dated 11th July 1927, appointing Mr. E. H. Young of the Oossoor Estate as a Member of the Hassan District Board, *vice* Mr. C. Lake resigned.

Resolution.—Recorded.

11. Deputy Commissioner's No. C. 1382-26—L. S. G., dated 12th April 1927, forwarding the Report No. 82, dated 9th April 1927, from the Amildar, Manjarabad Taluk, requesting for an advance for meeting expenses for the patients that go for anti-rabic treatment.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"The Committee regret that it is not permissible to make any advances."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

12. Deputy Commissioner's letter No. L. S. G. 1481-26, dated 20th—21st May 1927, forwarding extract from the petition of the Inamdars of Belur Taluk, praying for nomination of an Inamdar to the District Board and requesting for the views of the Board.

Resolution.—The Board is of opinion that the Inamdars may be informed that they may form themselves into a Registered Association in which case the Association may be given the privilege of returning a member by election as before.

13. Deputy Commissioner's No. C. 1141-26, dated 23rd February 1927, calling for the opinion of the Board about the rates at which fees may be levied for each of the purposes for which licenses are granted by the District Board.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"The matter is not of great importance in this area and the Board is prepared to entertain any suggestions of other areas where the questions are of importance. Even categories (*a*) and (*b*) have not sufficiently developed in this area."

Resolution.—Deferred.

14. Superintending Engineer's letter No. 6033, dated 4th May 1927, requesting to return the petition with the opinion of the Board as to the necessity for Ganni bridge and whether the District Board can finance within five years.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"The bridge is a necessity notwithstanding the road that is being opened. The Superintending Engineer may be requested to kindly intimate the probable cost of the bridge. As the people in the neighbourhood have promised a contribution of Rs. 35,000 as well as a loan at a cheap rate of interest, the District Board will provide its share of cost and Government may be pleased to take definite action to sanction the project and for providing its share of the cost."

Resolution.—The Board agree to provide their share of cost, which will include the promised subscriptions from the petitioners, but they would prefer to concentrate their attention on the construction of the bridge over the Cauvery near Ramanathapur readily undertaking to provide their share of the cost, such private contributions as may be forthcoming for the Ramanathapur bridge will be taken credit by the District Board.

15. Senior Surgeon's memo No. G. C. 486-3, dated 26th May 1927, calling for the views of the Board to bear their quota of expenses for opening a Dispensary at Halekote.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"Arrangements for periodical visits once a week by the Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Hole-Narsipur, seems likely to meet the demand adequately. Railway facilities are an additional reason to support this view."

Resolution.—There is no need for a Local Fund Dispensary at the place considering its proximity to Hole-Narsipur and the Railway conveniences existing at the place.

16. Senior Surgeon's letter No. C. 8-1, dated 13th June 1927, in the matter of opening Dispensaries at Bagur, Ballu and Palya.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"Bagur may be approved as in the Channarayapatna Taluk, no new Dispensaries have been opened since Hirisave and Sravanabelgola. The area is not well

served by roads, *i.e.*, the Bagur and Anathi Hoblies. So Bagur may be approved. District Board will bear its quota for a small Rural Dispensary of the kind proposed by the Board.

Palya. This is an unhealthy area requiring Medical Institution and a Malnad Improvement Dispensary may be opened at the place under the Malnad Improvement Scheme.

As regards Ballu the question may be considered at the meeting of the Board as Ballu people have got to be consulted in the meanwhile before definite opinion can be given."

Resolution.—Palya is an unhealthy area and a Malnad Improvement Dispensary is necessary at the place. It is stated that Ballupet people are willing to provide necessary buildings at once and have in proof of their enthusiasm and earnestness actually collected Rs. 1,400 and will collect Rs. 600 in the course of two or three days and deposit it in the Treasury, as a guarantee that they will soon construct the buildings necessary. The Belgode and Kenchammanahoskote people may be reminded about their promise to provide buildings for the Dispensaries in their places and informed of the possibility of transferring either of these institutions elsewhere. The question of a Dispensary for Ballu may be deferred for the time being.

As regards Bagur, the resolution of the Standing Committee is approved and a Local Fund Dispensary on a small scale is necessary. The District Board will bear its quota of initial and recurring expenditure.

17. Sanitary Commissioner's letter No. C. 1063, dated 7th June 1927, forwarding for necessary action, an extract from the report of the Reserve Sanitary Inspector on the result of the investigation carried out to ascertain the extent of prevalence of hook worm disease in the Manjarabad Taluk.

Resolution.—Recorded.

This is referred to Health Committee for consideration and proposals.

18. Executive Engineer's letter No. 1822, dated 12th May 1927, forwarding the application for a re-appropriation of Budget grant for 1926-27.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"Gorur Bridge. The revised estimate has not been sent to the Board. Hence it can't be accepted.

The increase for the Arsikere-Huliyar Road and that for the out-house to Railway Musafirkhana at Hassan, are sanctioned. The item of Rs. 2,000 can't be sanctioned for want of particulars.

As regards proposed reduction, the one for Kerlapurhalla Girder Bridge may be treated as a surrender and not as an item of re-appropriation. The reduction for Isvarahallihalla and Travellers' Bungalow at Bisle may also be treated as surrender and not as re-appropriation.

The rest may be approved.

Mr. S. Venkatesaiya proposed that as regards the Gorur Bridge, the Board is not agreeable to sanction the re-appropriation proposed as no revised estimate has hitherto been placed before it as the re-appropriation is from a sanctioned item to an unsanctioned excess of which it has no knowledge.

This was seconded by Mr. A. S. Nanjundappa.

Mr. E. V. Ganapathi Iyer moved the following proposition :—

In-as-much-as the Executive Engineer states that the re-appropriation may be made and that a revised estimate has in the usual course been sent to the departmental authorities the Board may provisonally accept the re-appropriation. It would, however, desire that the Public Works Department authorities may send these revised estimates earlier before any excess in estimates sanctioned by it is incurred.

On putting these propositions to vote, Mr. Venkatesaiya's proposition was carried practically unanimously, Mr. Ganapathi Iyer voting against it.

Mr. Ganapathi Iyer's proposition was not supported by anybody and none voted in favour of it.

As regards the re-appropriation about Arsikere-Huliyar Road, and out-house to Railway Musafirkhana, the resolution of the Standing Committee accepting it is approved.

As regards the item of Rs. 2,000 for other small works, the resolution of the Standing Committee that it can't be accepted for want of particulars is approved.

As regards the other items the resolutions of the Standing Committee are approved.

19. Hassan Division Executive Engineer's letter No. 1762, dated 25th April 1927, forwarding plan and estimate for Rs. 3,847 for constructing a tunnel across the cart track from Settihalli to Gorur.

(*b*) Letter No. 331, dated 28th May 1927, from Rev. Father Meyniel, Catholic Priest, Settihalli, in the matter.

(c) General Secretary's letter No. L. 129, dated 11th July 1927, addressed to the Deputy Commissioner in the matter.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"Estimate may be sanctioned and the Government requested to contribute half the cost."

Resolution.—The estimate is sanctioned, as resolved by the Standing Committee.

20. Executive Engineer's letter No. 1999, dated 22nd June 1927, calling for the opinion of the Board as to whether funds can be made available for constructing the bridge across Cauvery near Ramanathapur.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"Funds can be made available and the Executive Engineer may be informed accordingly."

Resolution.—The Board agree to find funds and urge that this is a piece of urgent work that must be taken up.

21. Executive Engineer's No. 1943, dated 3rd June 1927, forwarding estimates for constructing monsoon thatties to the Medical buildings at Saklespur, for 1927-28.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

22. Senior Surgeon's letter No. G. C. 546-1, dated 18th June 1927, calling for the views of the Board in the matter of opening a Dispensary at Kundur.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"A Dispensary on the scale proposed is necessary. This is a Malnad area. There was a Vydyasala here. It was removed to Magge where a Malnad Improvement Dispensary was opened closeby, *i.e.*, at Royarkoppal. This place stands in absolute need of one. The proposed scale may be accepted except as regards the building. A building on a smaller scale may be had."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

23. Senior Surgeon's letter No. G. C. 545, dated 18th June 1927, calling for the views of the Board in the matter of establishing a Dispensary at Heggade, Manjarabad Taluk.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"A Malnad Improvement Dispensary may be recommended."

Resolution.—A Malnad Improvement Dispensary may be opened at Heggadde and one is very necessary for that area.

24. District Medical Officer's letter No. 4157, dated 18th April 1927, requesting to enhance the pay of the watermen and waterwomen in the Local Fund Dispensaries in the District from Rs. 7 to Rs. 9 per mensem.

Resolution of the Standing Committee.

"The enhancement is not necessary. The scale requires no revision. In particular localities where persons are not easily available, special rates may be allowed on consideration of specified proposals."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

25. Letter No. 4158, dated 19th April 1927, from the District Medical Officer, forwarding the list of furniture required for the use of the Dispensaries in the District.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"Sanctioned except for Nagenahalli which should be borne from Malnad Improvement Grant."

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

26. Letter No. 22682, dated 27th April 1927, from the Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, forwarding the resolution of the Municipal Council of Channarayapatna agreeing to bear their quota of expenditure for the Veterinary Dispensary to be opened at the place together with the copy of written undertaking given by Mr. Venkategowda of Sravanabelgola for the construction of the building.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"This is recommended."

Resolution.—The Board approve of this and urge that one may be opened early. District Board will pay its quota of expenditure."

27. Letter No. 633-20, dated 21st May 1927, from the District Economic Superintendent, suggesting that the Charkas available in the District Board Office may be sold at Rs. 1-12-0 each.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"The Charkas may be sold at Rs. 1-12-0 as that is the market price prevailing."

Resolution.—They may be sold at Re. 1 each. Those supplied to the District Inspector of Education may also be given away at Re. 1 the difference being borne by the Board."

28. Letter No. 850, dated 13th June 1927, from the Sericultural Inspector, Hole-Narsipur, forwarding the application of Javara, son of Dodda, Adikarnataka, Hole-Narsipur, praying for a scholarship to undergo training in sericulture in Mysore.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"Rs. 15 a month may be given subject to the usual conditions as per latest rules."

Resolution.—The scholarship of Rs. 15 a month may be given. The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

29. Applications of—

(*a*) T. K. Ananthanarayana praying for the continuance of the scholarship for two years more to undergo training in Madras.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"The scholarship asked for may be given subject to the condition that after completing the course he will serve under the Board for at least three years, on such salary as the Board may decide upon, failing which he should refund the scholarship with interest at 6 per cent per annum."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is aproved.

(*b*) G. Keshavamurti, praying for a scholarship to undergo training in weaving and dyeing at the Government Weaving Factory.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"A scholarship of Rs. 10 a month may be given for one year for 1927-28.

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

(*c*) K. N. Subbaramaniah of Hole-Narsipur, praying for a scholarship to undergo training in weaving and dyeing at the Government Weaving Factory.

Resolution.—A scholarship of Rs. 15 a month may be granted for one year subject to condition of his serving under the Board if they desire for a period of three years on such salary as the Board may fix.

(*d*) G. Devappa, praying for a scholarship to undergo training in Sericulture at Mysore.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"Rs. 15 a month may be given for one year subject to the usual conditions of progress as per rules on the subject."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

30. Construction of musafirkhanas at Arehalli and Biccode.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"These are not necessary at present."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

31. Letter No. L. 7644-50, dated 23rd April 1927, from the General Secretary forwarding copy of letter No. L. 7642—L. B. 25-26, dated 23rd April 1927, addressed to the President, Kolar District Board, *re* transfer of few tables and chairs of the late Taluk Boards to the Village Panchayet Office.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"May transfer free of cost the furniture required for Village Panchayet Establishment; Call for requirements and surrender of excess."

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

32. Petition of the villagers of Grama and other villagers praying for a road from Anchemallenahalli to Dudda *via* Grama.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"An estimate may be got prepared by the Sanitary Inspector for a village cart track to be opened by the District Board and maintained by the Village Panchayet alongside with grants-in-aid from the District Board."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

33. Application of Dharmadarsis of Hongamma Devaru temple at Byrambudi village, Arsikere Taluk, praying for permission to hold a cattle show during April and praying for help from District Board.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"This is not desirable. The multiplication of cattle shows any further, is not desirable until the result of the shows already sanctioned is ascertained."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

34. Belur Range Sanitary Inspector's report No. 117, dated 28th April 1927, forwarding the petition of Manja, peon, Javagal Vydyasala, praying for the enhancement of his pay from Rs. 6 to Rs. 9.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"The present pay seems to be sufficient and the Committee are not in favour of an increase as applied for."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

35. District Medical Officer's letter No. 4546, dated 14th May 1927, forwarding the records connected with the old claims of the rewards due to the midwife attached to the Local Fund Dispensary at Arkalgud.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"The amount may be paid."

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

36. Letter No. 184, dated 29th April 1927, from the Secretary, Government Ayurvedic College Committee, Mysore, forwarding the resolution of the Committee meeting

recommending the deputation of a student of the district to the Ayurvedic College for training on a decent scholarship of Rs. 25 per mensem tenable for four years.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"This is not possible at present."

Resolution.—The Board resolve that it is not desirable, Mr. K. Ramanna dissenting.

37. Question of exempting from the payment of rent due by Mr. Sitarama Rao, Reserve Sanitary Inspector for having occupied the Rangacharlu Chattram at Arsikere.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"He must pay. He gets daily allowance and conveyance allowance. Further it would encourage occupation as residence of quarters intended for travellers. Heavy daily rent is one of the ways of discouraging permanent occupation."

Resolution.—Resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

48. Petition of the Hassan District students undergoing training in the Sericultural Institute, Mysore, praying for the continuance of the scholarship and the cost for undergoing training in filature.

(*b*) Read also letter No. 421—A. 1, dated 22nd July 1927, from the Superintendent of Sericulture, recommending the continuance of scholarship for three months from 31st July 1927, for Syed Akbar Ali and Rangappa and a like period from 31st August 1927 for H. S. Venkataramiah together with an extra sum of Rs. 5 each per month.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"May be continued for three months as prayed for. Amount will be about Rs. 135 to Rs. 150."

Resolution.—The request may be granted and the amount paid out of the allotment for Economic Development work.

49. Question of paying the balance of stamp duty on Debenture loan bonds.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"The amount due may be paid."

Resolution.—The amount may be paid.

50. Letter No. R. O. C. 2132 of 26-27, dated 11th July 1927, from the Director of Agriculture in Mysore, forwarding for opinion copy of the application received from Mr. W. Desmier of Arsikere for the supply of one Amritmahal bull for breeding purposes

Resolution.—It is stated that the applicant has lands in Kadur District and not in Hassan District and therefore he may apply to the Kadur District Board.

51. D. O. letter No. 88-95, dated 13th July 1927, from the Chief Commissioner, Boy Scouts of Mysore, forwarding extracts from the proceedings of the meeting of the Executive Committee of Boy Scouts recording the letter of the President, District Board, *re* the provision of some grant for the Scout Masters training camp at Sri Ramadevaru Dam.

Resolution.—Recorded.

52. Government Notification No. L. 451—L. B. 159-26-25, dated 22nd July 1927, notifying the election of Mr. K. Mahadevappa, as Vice-President of the Hassan District Board.

Resolution.—Recorded.

53. Review of vital statistics for the quarter ending 31st March 1927.

Resolution.—The review may be adopted.

54. Draft address to be presented to Mahatma Gandhiji on 3rd August 1927, when he is expected to visit Hassan.

Resolution.—The draft address is approved.

55. Proposed by Mr. H. K. Mallappa, and seconded by Mr. K. Abdul Rahim that spinning be introduced in all Primary and Middle Schools in the District and that the sanction of Government be obtained for the same.

Resolution.—Carried unanimously.

56. Letter No. C. 2881 of 26-27, dated 6th June 1927 of the Inspector-General of Education, calling for the approval of the Board for meeting the extra cost of Rs. 40 from cess funds for constructing the school building for Lambani boys at Harnahalli.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"The Committee are in favour of the extra amount being sanctioned."

Resolution.—Sanctioned, as resolved by the Economic Committee.

57. Letter No. C. 5559 of 1926-27, dated 2nd May 1927, from the Inspector-General of Education, requesting for the approval of the Board for incurring the additional expenditure of Rs. 500 out of cess funds for constructing a school building at Nallur.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"The Committee are of opinion that the original amount would be ample and an estimate for a building within the sanctioned amount of Rs. 2,500 may be got up. The villagers it is expected would undertake to construct the building within the amount sanctioned."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved and the estimate may be worked out by the Board through its own agency within the estimated amount of Rs. 2,500.

58. (*a*) Letter No. 7799—2797, dated 29th May 1927, from the District Inspector of Education, Hassan, enquiring whether a suitable grant may be expected from the Board for the construction of the school building at Kanathur as the villagers seem to have deposited a sum of Rs. 331—13 to the Board.

(*b*) Resolution of the Kanathur Village Panchayet dated 18th July 1927, re refund of the contribution paid to the District Board for constructing the school building.

Resolution of the Economic Committee.—

"A reasonable grant may be sanctioned after approval of the plan and estimate to be submitted by the villagers subject to the condition that the total cost does not exceed Rs. 500."

Resolution.—Resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

59. Letter No. 7267-2669, dated 28th April 1927, from the District Inspector of Education, forwarding copy of letter No. 12721-23, dated 28th March 1927, from the Inspector of Primary and Middle Schools in the matter of repairing and handing over the building in the compound of the Middle School and now lying vacant at Grama to the Education Department and requesting to sanction a sum of Rs. 100 out of cess balance.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"This may be done after approval of an estimate to be got from the Village Panchayet".

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

60. Letter No. 7282, dated 12th April 1927, from the Assistant Director of Agriculture, Shimoga, requesting to grant a sum of Rs. 2,000 for advertisement in the interior villages and for starting an Agricultural School at Hassan.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"The Assistant Director may be informed that for propaganda work by which the Committee understands demonstration, the Board would be prepared to bear the necessary expenditure for specific proposals. Lumpsum grants of so large an amount are not feasible; but it does not mean any reluctance on the part of the Board to finance propaganda work, for which, as above, stated, they will endeavour to provide the funds when details are furnished".

Rsolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

61. Letter No. 1315, dated 15th March 1927, from the Superintendent of Engineering School, Bangalore, recommending the grant of a schoolarship to Mr. Ramaswamiengar of Madihalli to prosecute his studies in the Engineering School.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"This is not feasible as it is not a question of Economic development".

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved

62. Letter No. C. 7361, dated 17th June 1927, from the Inspector-General of Education forwarding a programme of building works amounting to Rs. 25,000 to be undertaken during the year 1927-28 out of the cess realisations.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"The building programme may be approved, the Committee are of opinion that if the Village Panchayet are entrusted with the work of construction, it will be done cheap, subject, however, to the proviso, that items one and two, *viz.*, the Incomplete Middle Schools at Kerlapura and Mosle are not a proper charge on cess funds, and therefore it is recommended that the Board will not approve of the grant to these buildings, it may be pointed out that the grant for these two buildings which are not proper a charge really swallows up nearly a fourth of the total grant".

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved, but the Board would also point out that instead of spreading the expenditure over a number of years, the buildings may be completed in the course of the year. However the Board agree to the buildings being constructed at Kerlapura and Mosle for the use of the Primary Schools.

63. Letter No. 5840, dated 27th June 1927, from the Inspector of Sericulture, Hole-Narsipur, forwarding the applications of (1) A. V. Srinivasiengar of Ambuga and (2) N. P. Subba Rao of Hassan recommending to grant scholarships to undergo training in Sericulture.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"The opinion of the Superintendent of Sericulture may be obtained".

Resolution.—Deferred.

64. Application of Mr. H. V. Suryanarayanappa, Shanbhog, Hassan, requesting for a loan of Rs. 2,000 without interest for starting a Dairy Farm at Hassan.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"He may be asked to furnish details in the matter, specifying all particulars about the proposed scheme".

Resolution.—Deferred.

65. Prayer of the villagers of Lakkur for the refund of Rs. 61/14 for completing the school building.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"Verification with reference to Taluk Board account is necessary".

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

66. Letter No. C. 4-137—27-28, dated 14th July 1927, from the Inspector-General of Education, forwarding a petition of the Kalyadi villagers praying for the conversion of the local aided school into a Government School and requesting to intimate if the Board is agreeable to meet the cost of conversion out of the cess funds.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"May be sanctioned".

Resolution.—The conversion is approved and the excess expenditure may be met out of cess funds.

67. Letter No. 393-132, dated 14th July 1927, from the District Inspector of Education, recommending the opening of a Hindustani School at Karehalli.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"Details *re* the question together with previous resolutions may be put up. In the meanwhile, the Assistant Inspector of Education may inspect the private school now in the village and furnish full statistical information in the matter. District Economic Superintendent may also inspect the place and furnish his views".

Resolution.—Deferred for consideration and opinion of the Economic Committee.

The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

68. Letter No. 195-50, dated 5th July 1927, from the District Inspector of Education, recommending the grant of Rs. 500 out of the cess balance for constructing a school building at Hiriyalu in the Arsikere Taluk.

Resolution of the Economic Committee.

"An estimate with plan may be got, if the villagers construct the building as per plan and estimate approved, the question may be considered".

Resolution.—An estimate with plan may be got if the villagers construct the building as per approved plan and estimate. A grant of Rs. 500 may be given, out of cess funds.

69. Letter No. 236-67, dated 8th July 1927, from the District Inspector of Education, intimating that the Chikka Basavanahalli Village does not deserve a separate school.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"The Vice-President, Mr. S. Venkatesaiaya and the District Economic Superintendent will kindly inspect the place".

Resolution.—Deferred to obtain the further opinion of the Economic Committee.

70. Letter No. H. C. 324 of 26-27, dated 8th June 1927, from the Inspector-General of Education issuing instructions to the Inspecting Officers in the matter of utilisation of contribution paid for the construction of school buildings.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"May be recorded.

Resolution.—Recorded.

71. Grama Sanskrit Patasala Adhyaksha's prayer for enhancing the grant from Rs. 7 to Rs. 12 per mensem.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"This is not feasible".

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

72. District Economic Superintendent's No. N. Dis. 4—27, dated 8th July 1927, recommending the grant of a loan of Rs. 150 to G. Somiah of Hassan for improving weaving at Hassan.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"Old loan records may be put up and Mr. G. Somiah may be asked to explain why he did not start business on the original loan; he may also state what security he now offers."

Resolution.—Deferred to get the final opinion of the Economic Committee.

73. Prayer of the villagers of Dodda Kharade for constructing a school building.

(b) District Economic Superintendent's letter dated 21st July 1927 in the matter.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"If the villagers construct a building as per estimate and plan approved by the Board, suitable grant may be paid".

Resolution.—Economic Committee's resolution is accepted.

74. Letter No. Pi. 619, dated 16th July 1927, from the Inspector-General of Education in the matter of opening an Industrial Class to be attached to the Government Adikarnataka Primary School at Hole-Narsipur.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"The five years of the Weaving class from 1919-24 left no trace of the work of the weaving class. The question may be taken up after the transfer of the building towards the Dodda Holageri. The school is also within the municipal area."

Resolution.—The Board are not prepared to bear the expenditure.

75. Letter No. 289-99, dated 11th July 1927, from the District Inspector of Education forwarding a list of schools to be sanctioned during the year 1927-28 out of cess funds.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"Circulate copies and bring up before the next meeting".

Resolution.—Deferred for getting the opinion of the Economic Committee.

76. Hole-Narsipur Sericultural Inspector's No. T. 33, dated 11th July 1927, recommending the grant of a scholarship to one G. N. Laxmanagowda of Grama for undergoing training in Sericulture.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"Superintendent's opinion may be obtained".

Resolution.—Deferred.

77. Hassan Agricultural Inspector's No. 99, dated 20th July 1927 *re* grant of two suitable medals to be awarded to the best of the public co-operators during the Agricultural Exhibition and Conference proposed to be organised along with the cattle show.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"Not desirable".

Resolution.—Resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

78. Letter No. 14-17, dated 10th July 1927, from the President, High School Poor Boys' Fund calling for a list of members of the District Board who are to be the representatives of the Board to serve on the Committee.

Resolution.—The following representatives of the District Board will serve on the Committee:—

Mr. N. S. Nanjundiah.
Mr. K. Mahadevappa.
Mr. H. Govindasetti.
Mr. M. R. Puttasamiah.
Mr. N. Nagarajiah.

79. Application dated 20th July 1927 of Mr. H. Sivaramiah, Book-Seller, Hassan, received with Economic Superintendent's No. G1. 104, dated 22nd July 1927, praying for a loan of Rs. 300 free of interest from the Board for ink manufacture, etc.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"It may be sanctioned on the usual terms and on sufficient security".

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

80. Proposition of Mr. K. A. Rahim, District Board Member, Belur.

(1) That a well may be sunk for the use of the Mohammadans at Hanike.

Resolution.—Deferred for personal inspection.

(2) That the repairs to Biccode-Alur Road may be expedited.

Resolution.—This will be expedited.

(3) That the Vydyasala at Halebid may be converted into a Local Fund Dispensary.

Resolution.—This has already been recommended and a reminder may be sent.

81. Propositions of Mr. B. Nanjegowda, District Board Member, Kantarajpur.

1. Formation of a road between Sravanabelagola and Nagamangala.

Resolution.—The old references may be traced, the spot inspected and an investigation made, and the subject considered by the Standing Committee.

2. Opening a School at Kottanaghatta.

Resolution.—This may may be referred to the Economic Committee for consideration along with the other lists already under consideration.

3. Enhancing the mileage allotment to Kantarajapur-Mandagere road.

Resolution.—The grant may be increased by Rs. 25 making a total of Rs. 175 for this year. The question of continuing the grant may be considered at the next budget meeting.

4. Platform boat may be provided to the Ganni Ferry.

Resolution.—This is approved.

5. The Grant-in-aid school at Mutnahalli may be converted into a Government School, as the villagers have constructed a school building.

Resolution.—This is referred to Economic Committee for opinion.

6. Widening the north channel and bund of Sirama Devaru dam and make it fit for cart traffic.

Resolution.—This may be submitted to Government for favourable consideration.

7. Repairing the Muttanakatte tank in the Anathi hobli, and

8. Constructing the waste weir of the Bidare tank.

Resolution.—These may be recommended to Public Works Department for favourable consideration.

9. Question of giving additional hands to the Kantarajapur Incomplete Middle School.

(Withdrawn as the District Inspector of Education states that a hand has been appointed and that he is likely to take charge presently.)

10. Question of acquiring the land on which sheds have now been put up by the Adikarnatakas of Kantarajapur for their extension.

Resolution.—This must go before the Village Panchayet for disposal.

82. Propositions of Mr. B. Nanjegowda, District Board Member, Saklespur.

1. That the furniture, bedding and clothing mentioned in the list may be got supplied to the Sukravarsanthe Local Fund Dispensary.

Resolution.—They may be supplied at once.

2. A cattle show may be arranged to be held at the junction of roads near Uchangi.

Resolution.—A cattle show may be held at the Uchangi road junction about the Subrahmanya jatra period.

83. Proposition of Messrs. K. Ramanna and K. Narnappa, District Board, Members, Hole-Narsipur.

1. That a road may be arranged to be formed from Hole-Narsipur-Arkalgud road to Basavapatna *via* Bhuvanahalli and Uddur Hosahalli.

Resolution.—An estimate and project may be got for the purpose of improving the existing cart track with proposals for deviation if necessary from the District Board agency.

2. That a road from Hole-Narsipur to Halli Mysore may be maintained by the District Board.

Resolution.—This may be done.

3. That more facilities may be caused to be provided to the waiting shed constructed for the Hole-Narsipur Town Railway Station.

Resolution.—A recommendation may be made to the Railway Department.

4. That stalls and a well at the Doddahalli shandy grounds may be provided in the shandy grounds at Doddahalli.

Resolution.—This will be considered along with other shandies where wells have to be provided.

5. That Police watch may be caused to be provided to the Town Railway Station as there is heavy traffic.

Resolution.—This may be brought to the notice of the Railway Department.

84. Propositions of the District Economic Superintendent, Hassan District.

1. Necessary provision may be made to employ the mat weaving instructor for one year who has already come from Kadkola and reported for duty on 6th instant at Rs. 30 per mensem and Rs. 40 for initial expenditure.

Resolution of the Economic Committee—

"He may be employed in the first instance for six months; and his services may then be extended if his work is found to be satisfactory."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

2. Provisions may be made to meet the establishment charges of the Home Industries Class at Hassan which has already been opened from 20th June 1927, the probable cost being Rs. 700.

Resolution of the Economic Committee.—

"Expenditure for one month may be sanctioned and the work may be begun. Vice-President and the District Inspector may inspect the work and send a report in the matter, whereupon the question of continuing the classes may be considered."

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is accepted with the modification that the term may be extended to three months.

3. A provision of Rs. 300 may be made for free supply of charakas to deserving students and the public.

Resolution of the Economic Committee.—

"When there is a sufficient demand special cases of very poor people may be considered on the merit of each case".

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is accepted, but the possibility of its being sold away for price should be prevented.

4. Appointment of a Superintendent to look after the Horicultural Demonstration Farm at Hassan on Rs. 10 per mensem and Rs. 5 for contingent charges.

Resolution of the Economic Committee.—

"The question may be taken up after the return of the man that has been sent for training in Horticulture. Mr. S. Venkatesaiya opposes the proposition since there is no plan, no trained Mali and since the season is far advanced."

Resolution.—One hand on Rs. 10 per mensem and a lumpsum contingent grant of Rs. 20 is sanctioned and a trained Mali may be engaged as soon as possible.

5. A scholarship of Rs. 30 per mensem to a local intelligent carpenter may be granted and sent for training in sandal wood carving, pith work and manufacture of combs for six months.

Resolution of the Economic Committee.—

"Further details in the matter are awaited."

Resolution.—Deferred for the final opinion of the Economic Committee.

6. A scholarship of Rs. 30 per mensem may be granted to two persons to undergo training in Kambali weaving for six months.

Resolution of the Economic Committee.—

"Deferred for want of details."

Resolution.—Deferred for final resolution of Economic Committee.

7. A sum of Rs. 60/ may be provided for getting an improved apparatus from America for Agriculture.

Resolution of the Economic Committee.

"Improved American apparatus may be got after obtaining details in the matter and after consulting the Director of Agriculture".

Resolution.—The resolution of the Economic Committee is approved.

85. Propositions of Messrs. Joganagowda and Narsimhegowda.

1. That a road from Hirisave to Nonavinkere *via* Didaga may be opened.

Resolution.—This may be considered by the Standing Committee. The Village Panchayet in the locality may be consulted about finances.

2. That a contribution may be given for the completion of the school building at Jinnenahalli.

Resolution.—A sum not exceeding Rs. 500 may be granted after inspection by the President and Vice-President, District Board.

3. That a Government School may be started at Juttanahalli, Adagurcholenahalli, Hebbalalu and Kabbali villages.

Resolution.—This is referred to Economic Committee for consideration along with other proposals.

4. Improving sericulture in the district and arranging for the supply of good seed from the department.

Resolution.—It is stated that in the neighbourhood of Sundahalli, Hirisave and Jinnenahalli, the seeds did not prove successful and therefore the matter may be brought to the notice of the Department.

86. (*a*) Estimates sanctioned in anticipation of Board's approval.

		Rs.
1.	Revised estimate for sinking a well at Medlarikoppal ...	1,399
	Resolution.—Approved and sanctioned.	
2.	Improving Kantarajapur-Mandagere road	167
3.	Repairing the musafirkhana at Kenchammana-Hoskote ...	62
4.	Screening with monsoon thatties to the musafirkhana at Kenchammana-Hoskote	24
5.	Do do Travellers' Bungalow at Sukravarsanthe ...	31
6.	Do do Musafirkhana at Hethur ...	44
7.	Replacing with new Mangalore tiles to the Travellers' Bungalow at Dandiganahalli	59
8.	Special repairs to the Veterinary Hospital at Arsikere	169
9.	Special repairs to Rangacharlu Chatram	240
10.	Do do musafirkhana at Arsikere	41
11.	Do do do Hethur	91
12.	Screening with monsoon thatties to the Travellers' Bungalow at Kemphole	22
13.	Do do musafirkhana at Marnahalli	12
14.	Do do Travellers' Bungalow at Marnahalli ...	45
15.	Special repairs to the musafirkhana at Halebid	51
16.	Do do Vydyasala at Halebid	10
17.	Do do Travellers' Bungalow at Hagare ...	38
18.	Do do Musafirkhana at Hagare	51

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

(*b*) Estimates to be sanctioned:

		Rs.
1.	Revised estimate for sinking a well at Chagachagere, Arsikere Taluk	1,295
2.	Sinking a well at Magode, Mallipatna hobli	584
3.	Revised estimate for sinking a well at Chikkannakoppal	1,020
4.	Estimate for repairing the Travellers' Bungalow at Sukravarsanthe	489
5.	Improving the draw well at Halasuligepet	245

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

(5) Sanctioned out of M. I. Funds.

(*c*) Estimates received from the Executive Engineer, Hassan Division, for sanction.

1. Erecting monsoon thatties to the Local Fund Dispensary and Sub-Assistant Surgeon's quarters at Arehalli for Rs. 9 and Rs. 14.
2. Repairing the Local Fund Dispensary at Sravanabelagola for Rs. 38.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

87. Application of Mr. Kondi Narayanachar of Belur, praying for an allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem for explaining to the public the details of the History of the Belur Temple Architecture.

Resolution of the Standing Committee—

"Cannot be recommended as it is a matter in which he should apply to the Muzrai or Archæological Department.

Resolution.—The resolution of the Standing Committee is approved.

88. Election of members to the Standing Committee in place of Messrs. C. Lake and K. Mahadevappa.

Resolution.—Mr. Young is selected a member of the Standing Committee in place of Mr. Lake who has resigned.

Mr. N. Nagarajiah is also selected as a member of the Standing Committee in place of Mr. K. Mahadevappa who has since been elected Vice-President of the District Board.

89. Election of members to the Economic Committee in place of Mr. Lake.

Resolution.—Mr. Young is selected member of the Economic Committee in place of Mr. C. Lake.

Next meeting of the District Board.—29th October 1927 at 12 noon.

N. S. NANJUNDIAH,
President.

KOLAR GOLD FIELD, SANITARY BOARD.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE 1ST ORDINARY MEETING OF THE KOLAR GOLD FIELD SANITARY BOARD FOR THE YEAR 1927-28, HELD ON FRIDAY THE 19TH AUGUST 1927, AT 3 P.M., IN THE SANITARY BOARD OFFICE AT CHAMPION REEFS.

Members.

Present ... 15 | Absent ... 3

Read letters from the following members, stating that they will not be able to attend the meeting this day:—

1. Mr. W. T. Hudson, Superintendent, Nundydroog Mines, Limited.
2. Mr. S. Sreenivasa Iyer, Executive Engineer, Kolar District.

I. GENERAL SUBJECTS.

1. Proceedings of the last ordinary meeting held on 17th June 1927.

Resolution.—Recorded.

II. PROPOSALS.

5. (*a*) Letter No. 295, dated 2nd August 1926, from the Executive Engineer, Water Supply Division, forwarding estimate for:—

i. giving house connections of Robertsonpet, *i.e.*, improving service mains in Robertsonpet costing Rs. 11,400.

ii. Water connection to Andersonpet Rs. 20,000.

iii. Do Gorgaum Village Rs. 6,000.

(*b*) Medical Officer of Health's D. O. No. 12, dated 7th August 1927, submitting a revised estimate for Rs. 25,172 for house connections in Robertsonpet.

Resolution.—(i) Resolved that the Vice-President, the Executive Engineer, the Health Officer, Mr. Rajgopal, Mr. Narasinga Rao, be appointed as a Sub-Committee to investigate and draw up a report as to the demand for house connections in Robertsonpet.

(ii) Deferred.